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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 31st July to 13th August, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, W. E. CLARKE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 22nd July, 1907. 1235

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By Order of the Board of Directors, J. B. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 13th July, 1907. 1310

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 17th day of August, 1907, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1907.

By Order of the Board of Directors, J. B. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1907. 1286

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By Order of the Board of Directors, THOS. I. ROSE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 30th July, 1907. 1276

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THE KING AND THE UNION JACK CLUB.

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of a club in the locality, as well as the title of the club, originated. Others present included—
The Duke of Argyll, the Duchess of Somerset, Lord Tweedmouth, First Lord of the Admiralty, General the Hon. Sir Neville Lytton, General the Hon. Sir William Pitt Rivers, Lady Pollock, Admiral the Hon. Sir E. R. Fremantle, Lady Fremantle, Lady Caroline Gordon Lennox, Lady Dalrymple White, Sir Alfred Knatchbull, Rear-Admiral Sir Percy Scott, Sir William Bisset, Sir G. Hayter Chubb, Sir Walter Vaughan Morgan, Sir Marcus Samuel, Sir John Lubbock, Sir Douglas Strickland, Sir Gilbert Elliot, Sir H. Seymour, King, M.P., Major-General Owen Jones, General Sir T. Kelly Kenna, Sir George Arthur, Bishop Taylor Smith, Sir J. Whitaker Ellis and the Rev. W. T. Savard.

The Prince and Princess of Wales are patron and patroness of the club, and His Royal Highness has consented to ask the King to declare the building open. The Prince, who was an Admiral's uniform, arrived with the Princess before their Majesties had the Royal Highness were a gown of white silk with a white chiffon bow, and a white toque trimmed with lace and with a light blue ostrich feather. The Prince and Princess of Wales were received by the council, and awaited the King and Queen at the entrance to the building. Their Majesties drove from Buckingham Palace in an open carriage by the Mall, Pall Mall, Trafalgar Square, Duncannon Street, the Strand, Waterloo Place, Waterloo Bridge, and Waterloo Road, and were most warmly greeted by their loyal subjects. At the south end of Waterloo Bridge an address was presented to their Majesties by the Mayor of Lambeth, Alderman F. Atkinson Powell, and a bouquet was presented to the Queen.

After the King and Queen had been received at the club by the Prince and Princess of Wales a procession was formed and advanced to the lounge-hall. It included the King and Queen, Princess Victoria, the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, Princess Louise, Prince Arthur of Connaught, Prince Alexander of Teck and Prince Francis of Teck, the Maharaja of Alwar, and the Maharaja of Dikanur. His Majesty wore the dress uniform of a Field-marshal. The Queen wore a gown of purple velvet embroidered with flowers, a box of very pale blue and white, with a large of a darker shade of the same colour. In the Queen's train was a little Union Jack. The Queen and the Princess of Wales were each presented with a bouquet, two little boys from the Duke of York's School and the Royal Naval Hospital School, Greenwich, having been deputed to perform this honourable service.

On reaching the lounge-hall, the King and Queen and other illustrious personages took up their positions on the dais, and the Prince of Wales then read the following address:—

May it please your Majesty.

To me, as patron of the Union Jack Club, has fallen the honour of receiving your Majesties here to-day.

Frequently sensible of the interest always evinced by your Majesty in all that concerns the welfare of the naval and military forces of the Crown, and encouraged by your Majesty's generous patronage, the council of the Union Jack Club have, from the inception of this undertaking, ventured to entertain the hope that the formal presentation of the club to the King and the Navy and Army might be honoured by the presence of your Majesty and the Queen.

That your Majesties have condescended to fulfil our ardent wish has been the source of much loyal gratification to the council, and cannot but deepen these sentiments of gratitude and devotion which all who have the honour to serve the King on sea or land entertain towards your Majesty's Throne and person.

It is now rather more than four years ago that the project of founding, as a national memorial to the men of both services who have lost their lives in recent campaigns, an institution in the nature of a club for the use of the many thousands of sailors, soldiers, and marines who yearly pass through London, first took concrete shape, when the then Lord Mayor presided over an influential meeting at the Mansion-house.

Such an institution, it was hoped, would provide a comfortable temporary home and meeting place, where food and a commodious could be obtained at prices within the means of the men, and would prove a potent factor for good in keeping them from the many temptations which beset sailors and soldiers in uniform on arrival in the metropolis.

Contributing as it would both to the moral and material welfare of the sailor and soldier, so good an object could not fail to enlist the generosity and support of all who desired to mark their appreciation of the gallantry and self-sacrifice of the defenders of their country.

After four years of work we are glad to have the honour to-day, on behalf of the general body of subscribers, to offer to your Majesty, as head of the Navy and Army, and for their use, this club, built in a position exceptionally favourable for its purpose, opposite the great terminus through which nearly 200,000 men pass annually, containing over 200 bed rooms (mostly dedicated to ships or regiments) or as memorials to fallen comrades, with all the public rooms and accessories of an ordinary club-house, and fully equipped for immediate occupation.

The completion of the scheme has involved a capital outlay of some £2,000, the whole of which amount the council are glad to say, has now been raised, and there is every reason to believe that the club, when opened, will be financially self-supporting.

Signed on behalf of the council of the Union Jack Club.

George P. Patron.
E. W. D. Ward, Chairman of the Council.
Fred. C. Wallis, Vice-Chairman of the Council.
July 1, 1907.

The King, in reply said:—
It is a very great pleasure to me that I am able, with the Queen, to be here to-day at the inauguration of the Union Jack Club. I congratulate you on the entire success of the efforts of your Royal Highness and all those associated with you in the founding of this great national memorial, and in the name of the Navy and Army I accept from you, for the use and benefit of the men of my fighting services, the spacious and well equipped club-house which you have provided for their comfort and convenience.

A ready and generous response has been made to your appeal for funds, not only from individuals who are in a position to make handsome gifts, but from regiments and ships, from trading firms and their associations, from public-spirited proprietors and readers of the Press, which has generously advertised and advocated your cause, and from countless subscribers all over the country, who have testified the warmth of their feeling towards my

soldiers and sailors by willing contribution according to their means.

I could not have inaugurated this institution to-day if it were still hampered by debt, and I am particularly pleased that, owing to the special efforts, which have been made, and in large measure to the generosity of two individuals, the remaining liability of £16,000 has been met within the last two or three weeks.

The cause is a good one, and it has touched many hearts. This club is established as an appreciation of the splendid services of my Navy and Army in the South African and Chinese wars, and as a national memorial to those who lost their lives in those campaigns. The feeling of appreciation and gratitude is universal throughout my dominions, and also there are many who, in contributing to a national memorial to the dead, have had a personal loss to commemorate, a private sorrow to assuage.

I am most grateful to learn that the Union Jack Club will be financially self-supporting. Having regard to the deep and widespread sympathy which your scheme has elicited, I feel assured that the necessary funds for the contemplated extension and completion of the institution will be speedily forthcoming.

I feel confident that, alike in the selection of a site, in the nature of the accommodation which you have provided, and in the generous supply of means for recreation and amusement, you have adopted the course calculated to carry out most effectively the wishes of your subscribers for the benefit of my Navy and Army.

I earnestly hope that the efforts which you have made and your aspirations for the future will have the happiest fruition, and that the club which is opened to-day will for many years to come prove a benefit, a comfort, and a means of improvement for those for whom it is intended.

Sir Edward Ward presented to the King, on behalf of the council, a record of the subscriptions which his Majesty was graciously pleased to accept, and

The King then said:—"I declare the Union Jack Club now open," an announcement which was received with loud cheers.

The members of the council, the architect, Mr. Harry B. Mearns, and a number of other gentlemen who have been connected with the work, were then presented. The following form the council:—

Mr. F. C. Wallis (vice-president), Captain W. V. Anson, R.N., Mr. Rowland Balle, Miss Violet Brooke-Hughes, Mr. Noel Anson, Mr. C. D. S. O., Captain P. A. Chrys, Mr. John Cole, Captain Hugh Evan Thomas, R.N., Lord Fitzwilliam, D.S.O., Mr. F. Bathurst Harris, M.P., Brigadier-General C. E. Heath, Sir H. Seymour King, M.P., Sir Walter Lawrence, Miss Ethel McCaul, R.R., the Hon. Sir Schomberg K. McDonnell, Mr. G. J. Marjoribanks, Captain M. H. Milner, D.S.O., Lieutenant Colonel L. Noble, Colonel G. T. O'Slow, Mr. H. Ramsay, Colonel the Hon. J. F. St. Aubyn, Mrs. Evelyn of Thorbush, and Sir Samuel Scott, M.P., with Major Arthur Higgard (secretary).

The King and Queen, accompanied by the Prince and Princess of Wales and the other members of the Royal Family, now passed down the middle of the hall to the spot where the memorial tablet awaited his Majesty's unveiling.

The tablet bears the inscription:—

"His Majesty King Edward VII., accompanied by her Majesty Queen Alexandra, opened this club on July 1, 1907, as a national memorial of the sailors, soldiers and marines who fought and died in the service of their country."

The King and Queen next made a tour of inspection of the building, visiting the dining-rooms, the bed-rooms, reading rooms, library, and kitchen. The King himself was the donor of a bed-room, and this room was visited by his Majesty. The 200 guests sent by ships and regiments were drawn up and were also inspected by the King, after which his Majesty and the Queen took their departure amid loud cheers from the large crowds of spectators assembled in the vicinity of the building.

The evening of the day was a reception at the club, which was very largely attended, and in the course of which a silver bowl was presented to Sir Edward Ward by the council in commemoration of the services rendered by him to the cause of the club.

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The Corporation transacts every description of Banking and Exchange business, receives money in Current Account at the Rate of 2 1/2 per annum on Daily balances and accepts Fixed Deposits at the following rates:—

For 12 months 4 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 6 " 4 " " "

For 3 " 3 " " "

No. 9, Queen's Road, Central, Hongkong.

W. M. ANDERSON, Manager.

Hongkong, 24th July, 1907. 1231

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL ... \$10,000,000

RESERVE FUND ... \$10,000,000

STERLING RESERVE \$10,000,000

SILVER RESERVE ... 11,000,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 10,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS: G. H. MEDHURST, Esq., Chairman.

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LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Account at the rate of Two per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:

For 3 months, 2 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months, 3 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 12 months, 4 per cent. per annum.

J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 14th June, 1907. 21

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE Business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

INTEREST on deposits, is allowed at 3 1/2 per cent. per annum.

Depositors may transfer at their option balances \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 per cent. per annum.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 12th January, 1907. 23

NEDERLANDSCH-INDISCHE HANDELSBANK

(NEDERLANDS INDIA COMMERCIAL BANK)

ESTABLISHED 1863.

Authorised Capital FL. 15,000,000 (41,250,000)

Subscribed Capital FL. 10,000,000 (Paid up)

Reserve Fund FL. 2,125,570.36 (4,676,948)

HEAD OFFICE: AMSTERDAM.

SUB-OFFICE: THE HAGUE.

HEAD AGENCY: BATAVIA.

BRANCHES at: Singapore, Sourabaya, Samarang, Indramajoe, Bandjoeang and Weltevreden.

CORRESPONDENTS at: Cheribon, Tegal, Pecalongan, Macassar, Pontianak, Padang, Medan, Penang, Rangoon, Calcutta, Bombay, Madras, Colombo, Karachi, Djeddah, Bangkok, Saigon, Shanghai.

BANKERS: London (THE WILLIAMS DEACONS BANK, SWISS BANK CORP.), Paris (COMPTON NATIONAL D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS).

Berlin: DEUTSCHE BANK, Brussels: BANQUE DE PARIS ET DES PAYS BAS.

